Correction: NOT conducive Fwd: Verbal Motion going in to replace Written Motion

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John Popoch <john.popoch@lacity.org>

Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 11:42 AM

To: Avak Keotahian <avak.keotahian@lacity.org>, Erika Pulst <erika.pulst@lacity.org>, Sharon Gin <sharon.gin@lacity.org>, Alan Alietti < Alan. Alietti@lacity.org>

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From: John Popoch <john.popoch@lacity.org>

Date: Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 11:41 AM

Subject: Re: Verbal Motion going in to replace Written Motion

To: Avak Keotahian <avak.keotahian@lacity.org>

Cc: Alan Alietti <Alan.Alietti@lacity.org>, Erika Pulst <erika.pulst@lacity.org>, Sharon Gin <sharon.gin@lacity.org>

We didn't change our mind., we we're being collegial to our colleagues. Other councilmembers asked if they could co-author after your 5pm deadline and even this morning. Since you set a deadline of 5pm the day prior is not conducive to councilmembers trying to work together in today's world when things are so fluid, we won't waste our time getting them into you by that time anymore. We will submit all Motions verbally from now on.

Thanks, John

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On Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 11:37 AM Avak Keotahian <avak.keotahian@lacity.org> wrote:

you're too late, I had no choice but to process it. I can't wait to find out if you're gonna change your mind in the middle of the meeting. How many years have you been in office?!?!?!?

On Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 10:56 AM John Popoch <john.popoch@lacity.org> wrote: Hi All,

Staff sent Avak a Motion yesterday afternoon for written submission by Bob.

CM Krekroian asked to co-author, so the updated Motion is attached. Bob will instead read it verbally per CLA rules,

Therefore, you can disregard the submitted written Motion, please.

Thanks.

John

Avak Keotahian <avak.keotahian@lacity.org>
To: John Popoch <john.popoch@lacity.org>

Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 12:27 PM

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anybody who wants to co author or second can merely state that during the meeting. 'co-authoring' is not a legal thing anyway, it does not exist per the Council Rules or Roberts Rules of Order ---- ONLY one member can present a Motion. But if you want to play the optics game, any member can stand up and say they also want to 'author' this --- (as if anyone out there in the public were paying attention.) Bottom line, you had 4 weeks to do this and you screwed up!!!!

John Popoch <john.popoch@lacity.org>

Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 12:47 PM

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Lol.

FYI: I was working in the district the last four weeks handing out masks and hand sanitizer, and meeting with homeless people.

We'll stick to verbal Motions from now on. I'm sorry to the others on this email if that presents more difficulties or inconveniences.

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Avak Keotahian <avak.keotahian@lacity.org>

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you need to communicate this to the President's staff.

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John Popoch <john.popoch@lacity.org>

Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 12:51 PM

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WIII do. Oh wait, you included Alexis. Thanks!

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Avak Keotahian <avak.keotahian@lacity.org>

Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 1:03 PM

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No you or lisa need to officially tell them. I can't speak for your office.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 29, 2020, at 12:51 PM, John Popoch < john.popoch@lacity.org > wrote:

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John Popoch <john.popoch@lacity.org>

Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 1:07 PM

To: Avak Keotahian <avak.keotahian@lacity.org>

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Then why did you add, Alexis? NM. I'll reach out to her personally and stop subjecting everyone on this email to this ridiculous back and forth.

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Avak Keotahian <avak.keotahian@lacity.org>

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Just do it!!

Sent from my iPhone

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John Popoch <john.popoch@lacity.org>

Wed, Jul 29, 2020 at 1:17 PM

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Ok! I can't wait to see you in person again. Come to the valley and we'll hand out masks and sanitizer together!

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